

Gardening on Cape Cod



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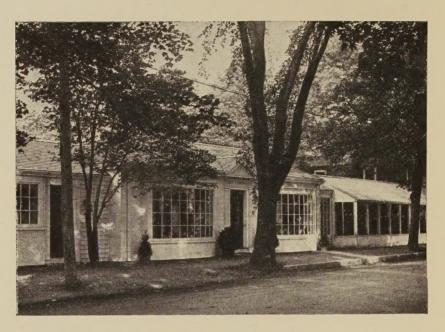


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Landscape Offices and Flower Shop, Depot Avenue, Falmouth

Progress and Personnel — 1955

Three main departments working in close cooperation have built H. V. Lawrence, Inc. into a well-balanced and complete Cape Cod Horticultural Service: The Flower Shop and Greenhouses, the Cape Cod Nurseries, and the H. V. Lawrence Landscape Service of Construction, Planting and Design.

By virtue of his wise foresight, Mr. H. V. Lawrence, the original founder and active head of the business from 1886 until his death in 1953, provided well for continuity by building a close-knit organization of departmental heads and assistants.

We want you to know these men. They carry on together the business of the organization, whose service to an ever-increasing number of customer-friends has been characterized through the years by long experience, hard work and honest service.

Milford R. Lawrence succeeds his father as president and treasurer of H. V. Lawrence, Inc. A land-scape architect by training, he continues his work of

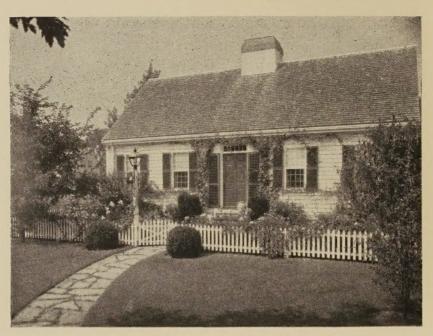
34 years in that capacity while assuming the duties of general manager of the business as a whole.

Lewis H. Lawrence, vice-president, heads the Flower Shop and Greenhouses, where his 37 years of good work have earned a well-deserved reputation for exceptional skill and artistry. His assistant in the flower shop is J. Herbert Tyler. John V. Osborne is the grower in charge of production in the greenhouses.

George H. Bigelow with 19 years of service here is also vice-president and manager of landscape construction, handling our experienced labor forces in all types of landscaping, translating ideas and plans into satisfying reality. Associated in this department are W. Donald Durell and T. Richard Leonard, both with several years here. All these men are landscape architects and engineers, graduated from the University of Massachusetts.

E. Stanley Bolles, with us for more than 20 years, is the capable manager of our Cape Cod Nurseries, directing the propagation, growing, care and marketing of over thirty-five acres of all types of hardy materials suited for use on Cape Cod. Earle Bruorton handles well the added Nursery Service of land-scaping suggestions and plantings for small home grounds. Clayton D. Smith is an arborist by training and specializes in the proper care of trees and plantings. Myron Farias has for many years been in charge of our Perennial Nursery.

Our new Cape Cod Gardening Center on Route 28 in East Falmouth will be staffed with capable landscape nurserymen, and all departments will contribute fully to make it efficient, serviceable and appealing. It is more fully described on pages 32 and 33.



A Fine Example of Today's Cape Cod Dooryard Garden

Gardening on Cape Cod

Good gardening on Cape Cod is a most rewarding activity, increasing each year in quality, quantity

and productive enjoyment.

Supplementing as it does the great natural beauty of shore and sea and homelike countryside, and the abundant recreational advantages of the region, good gardening is an increasingly important factor in keeping Cape Cod green, clean, and appealing.

It does involve problems of sea-wind exposure, of adequate soil preparation, and of the selection of the right plants for the right places. Wise planning and competent advice can assure success and satisfaction. The value of long experience in such work is considerable in creating on Cape Cod good gardens, good lawns, effective plantings, and in accomplishing the job simply, attractively, and at reasonable cost.

Good gardening on Cape Cod is our main business. To this end our best business efforts and our personal interests are dedicated. This is the broader meaning of the title we have used for several years for this somewhat different booklet, "Gardening on Cape Cod."



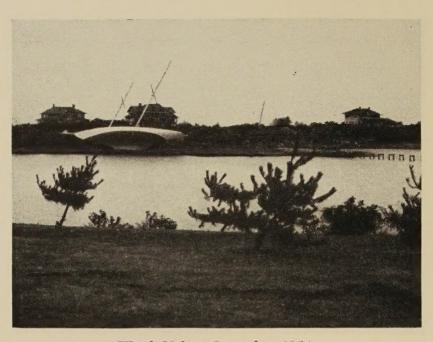
Landscaping for Pleasant Outdoor Living Near the Sea

Successful Seashore Planting

Salt-laden winds off the sea, and soils that are often light and sandy, require specialized knowledge to assure success with plantings in these situations so typical of Cape Cod.

Three main requirements are: planting in driftlike masses to give plants mutual protection; the substitution of good fertile soil for the unproductive sand; and, most important of all, the wise selection and arrangement of strong husky plants of kinds proven by experience capable of surviving in the salt sea wind exposures.

Our sixty-eight years of practical experience, together with skillful planning, and the superior quality of Cape-grown plant materials from our own Nurseries, have made Lawrence's seaside landscape plantings outstandingly successful in their lasting beauty and effectiveness.



Woods Hole — September, 1954
The large schooner was hurled by hurricane winds and flood water far onto the beach, but the Japanese Black Pines, though flooded, still survive

Hurricane Damage to Plantings and Lawns

Carol and Edna were about the most unwelcome visitors we've ever had on Cape Cod. Many water-front properties were flooded, and even far inshore the storm-driven salt winds lashed ornamental plants and native growth. Tree damage was mostly in breakage of top branches. In smaller trees, flowering shrubs, roses, vines and hedges the younger top growth was killed back to an extent varying with exposure. Surface foliage on exposed evergreens was badly seared and in some cases permanent disfiguration has occurred. Broad-leaf evergreens suffered badly in many cases.

Generally speaking, however, with the exception of plantings actually flooded with salt water, damage is less severe than it first appeared. Correct pruning and some wise feeding will soon restore good growth and appearance.

Salt-flooded areas are in more serious condition. Again the Japanese black pine, unless actually broken, has proved itself the one great seashore tree by coming through unscathed. Also as expected, rugosa rose, beach plum, bayberry, tamarisk and Russian olive and some others, while partly killed back, have survived. Most other shrubs, evergreens, and perennials covered by tide waters have been completely destroyed.

Lawns that were flooded have reacted irregularly. Some have already made a good recovery. Most are spotty, and a few are killed almost entirely and should be dug over, fertilized and reseeded. All flooded lawns will require proper fertilizing, with new seed added where needed.

Spring is the ideal time for replacement plantings. Our labor forces are at their peak, and our supply of quality nursery stock is better than ever, in spite of our own hurricane handicaps.

We at Lawrence's will gladly help you restore and improve your grounds. First, our experience will enable us to determine and save all plants that can be restored by correct pruning and feeding. Following that, a suitable program for replacement will be worked out to fit your wishes and your budget.

Now more than ever, Lawrence's capable landscape and nursery service can be of greatest possible advantage and help.



A Garden Carefully Designed for All-Season Beauty

Hardy Perennial Flowers

Hardy perennials are the backbone of every good flower garden or border. They live on from year to year, and each season produce rewarding displays of blossoms of every color, form and character.

Because Cape Cod is such a summer home region we specialize particularly in those kinds which are summer-flowering — phlox, lemon lilies, balloonflower, iris, lilies, delphinium, and a great many others.

Combined with well-chosen annuals they produce all-season pleasure and beauty that is a lasting delight from the creeping phloxes of early spring till the late frosts nip the chrysanthemums.

We grow in our greenhouses many thousands of the best annuals and bedding plants for use in summer gardens.

All perennials 65c each, \$6.00 per dozen, unless otherwise noted. Six or more of one variety sold at the dozen rate.

Plants priced at 75c are \$7.20 per dozen.
Plants priced at 90c are \$9.00 per dozen.
Plants priced at \$1.00 are \$10.80 per dozen.
Add 10c per plant for extra-care midsummer digging.

ACONITUM, Monkshood

napellus bicolor. Blue and white. 2-3 ft. Early Fall. 75c each.

napellus Sparks' var. Dark blue. 2-3 ft. July-Aug. 75c each.

AJUGA, Bugle

genevensis. Blue. 6 in. May, good for shade. reptans rubra. Purple leaves, blue flowers.

ALYSSUM, Goldentuft

saxatile compactum. Yellow. 12 in. May.

AMARYLLIS, see Lycoris

ANEMONE, Windflower

japonica Marie Manchard. Fine semi-double white. 2-3 ft. Sept.-Oct.

japonica September Charm. Silvery pink. 2 ft. Sept.

ANTHEMIS, Chamomile

Moonlight. Lemon-yellow. 2½ ft. June-Oct. 75c each.

AQUILEGIA, Columbine

canadensis. Native. Red and yellow. 1½ ft. June.

chrysantha. Golden-yellow. 1½ ft. May-June. Crimson Star. Red and white, dwarf. June-July.

Mrs. Elliott's Long Spurred Hybrids. Mixed. 2 ft. May-June.

Silver Star. Pure white. June.

ARTEMISIA, Wormwood

Silver King, Ghost Plant. Silvery foliage. 2-3 ft. June-July. Silver Mound. Dense mounds of bright silvery feathery foliage. 12 in. All season.

ASCLEPIAS, Butterfly Weed

tuberosa. Orange. 1½-2 ft. July-Sept.

ASTER, Hardy Aster

Amellus elegans. Large deep blue flowers. 12-18 in. Aug.-Sept.

Blue Eyes. Lavender-blue. 2-3 ft. Aug.-Sept.

Harrington's Pink. Fine true pink, semi-double. 3-5 ft. Sept.

Mount Everest. Best white. 3-4 ft. Sept. Queen Mary. Brilliant blue. 3-4 ft. Sept.

Violetta. New. Exceptionally fine deep violet-purple. 3-4 ft. Sept.

ASTILBE, Astilbe

Beautiful heavy clumps. All varieties 75c. each.

Avalanche. Pure white. 2 ft. July-Aug.

Gloria. Fine rose pink. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. July.

Peach Blossom. Clear deep pink. 1½-3 ft. July-Aug.

Queen Alexandra. Soft pink. 2 ft. June-July

CAMPANULA, Bellflower

carpatica. Blue and white varieties, compact. 9 in. June-Oct.

medium — Canterbury Bells. Lilac, blue, white and pink. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. June. (Biennials.)

persicifolia. Blue and white varieties. 2-3 ft. June-July. persicifolia Misty Morn. Beautiful silvery blue double flowers on strong stems. 75c each.

CERASTIUM, Snow-in-Summer

tomentosum. White flowers, silvery foliage. Trailing masses. 6 in. May-June.

CERATOSTIGMA plumbaginoides, Leadwort

Beautiful bright blue rock plant. 6-9 in. July-Aug.

CHRISTMAS ROSE, see Helleborus

CHRYSANTHEMUM, Pyrethrum type

coccineum Robinson Hybrids. Improved variety, fine mixture.

Robinson's Double Dark Crimson. 2-2½ ft. June-July. 75c each.

CHRYSANTHEMUM — Shasta Daisy Varieties

Diener Double. Large fringed white flowers. 2½ ft. June-July.

Majestic. Very large single flowers. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. June-July.

CIMICIFUGA, Snakeroot

racemosa simplex. Late large-flowering variety of the above. 3 to 4 ft. 90c each.

CLEMATIS davidiana. Fine blue, good in shade. 1½-2 ft. June-July.

CONVALLARIA, Lily-of-the-Valley

majalis. White. 8 in. May-June.

HARDY GARDEN CHRYSANTHEMUMS

These and the Hardy Asters are the glory of the garden all the long fall. New colors, greater hardiness, and improved foliage are in these selected varieties.

Notable recent introductions; all 75c each, \$7.20 per dozen.

Fred F. Rockwell. Gorgeous blend of orange and bronzy scarlet. 2 ft. Oct. 1.

Misty Maid. 3-inch informal decorative type flowers of soft shell pink. 2 ft. Sept. 20.

Moonbeams. $3\frac{1}{2}$ -inch double blooms of soft primrose yellow. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. Oct. 1.

Tapestry. Very double 3-inch flowers of rich bright pink. 2 ft. Sept. 15.

Chrysanthemums — continued

Selected popular varieties, proved by our own experience to be most reliable. All at 65c each, \$6.00 per dozen.

(D, double decorative; P, pompon double; S, semi-double daisy-type.)

Avalanche. (D) Largest, best creamy white. 18 in. Sept. 20.

Bokhara. (D) Fine rosy crimson-wine. 2 ft. Oct. 5.

Carnival. (D) Glowing burnt-orange. 2 ft. Oct. 1.

Charles Nye. (D) Finest large golden yellow. 2 ft. Sept. 20. Exquisite. (D) Beautiful Burgundy-bronze. 2 ft. Oct. 1.

Lavender Lady. (D) Large soft silvery lavender. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. Oct. 5.

Mellow Glow. (D) Large, glistening peach-bronze. Oct. 5. Mrs. P. S. DuPont III. (D) Lovely peach-salmon-fawn. 2½ ft. Oct. 1.

Red Velvet. (D) Rich velvety deep red. 2 ft. Oct. 5.

Best dwarf "Cushion Mums": 65c each, \$6.00 per dozen.

Bronze Mound. Varied bronze shades. Sept. 5.

Dean Kay. Deep apple blossom pink. Sept. 10.

Golden Carpet. Glowing gold pompons. Sept. 15.

Major Cushion. Best salmon pink. Sept. 20.

Powder Puff. Beautiful clean white. Sept. 15.

Santa Claus. Hardy crimson red. Oct. 5.

DELPHINIUM, Larkspur

chinense. In three colors, deep blue, light Cambridge blue and pure white. $1\frac{1}{2}$ -2 ft. June-July.

chinense Blue Mirror. Fine sparkling medium blue. $1\frac{1}{2}$ ft. June-July.

LYONDEL HYBRIDS. The finest strain yet produced for giant double flowers, wide color range and reliable hardiness. 4-6 ft. June-Sept. 75c each.

PACIFIC HYBRIDS, Named varieties. Separate color strains, giant-flowered tall spikes. 75c each.

Black Knight. Deep purple-blues.

Blue Bird. Strong, clear blues. Cameliard. Clear lavenders.

Galahad. Pure white.

Round Table Series. All the color combinations.

Summer Skies. Sky-blues, white bee.

DIANTHUS, Hardy Pinks

barbatus - see Sweet William.

Grenadin strains, carnation-flowered, in yellow, deep red, and white.

plumarius. The old-fashioned clove pink. June.

plumarius Spring Beauty and Highland Rose Hybrids. Large double, all colors.

DICENTRA, Bleeding Heart

eximea. Deep rose. Fringed foliage. 12-15 in. All summer. 75c each.

Sweetheart. White variety of the above. 75c each.

spectabilis. Great favorite. Racemes of pink heart-shaped flowers. 2 ft. May. \$1.00 each.

DICTAMNUS, Gas Plant

fraxinella. Showy pink or white flowers, very sturdy. $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft. June-July.

DIGITALIS, Foxglove.

ambigua. Hardy yellow. True perennial. 2 ft. June-July. purpurea (biennial). Rose shades and pure white. 3-5 ft. June.

Shirley Hybrids. Fine mixture of all pink shades and white. 3-5 ft. June.

ECHINOPS, Globe Thistle

humilis, Taplow Blue. Steel blue. 3-4 ft. July-Aug.

FERNS

Adiantum pedatum, Maidenhair Fern. 15-24 in. Shade. Dennstedtia punctilobula, Hay-scented Fern. 1½-2 ft. Shade. Sq. ft. sods, 75c each, \$7.20 per dozen, \$50.00 per hundred.

Osmunda cinnamomea, Cinnamon Fern. 4-5 ft. Sun or shade.

Polystichum acrostichoides, Christmas Fern. 1-1½ ft. Shade.

FUNKIA, see Hosta

GAILLARDIA aristata, Blanketflower. Red and gold. 1½ ft. All season.

The Warrior. Ruby-red. 3 ft. All season.

GEUM, Avens

Fire Opal. Double orange-scarlet. 2 ft. May-July.

Prince of Orange. Large double orange-gold. 2 ft.

May-June.

Princess Juliana. Semi-double orange. 18 in. May-July. Wilton Ruby. Double scarlet-red. 18 in. May-July.

GYPSOPHILA, Baby's Breath

Bristol Fairy. Double pure white. 2-3 ft. July-Sept. 75c each.

HELENIUM, Sneezeweed

aut. Riverton Gem. Beautiful bronze flowers in large heads. 4 ft. Aug.-Sept.

HELIANTHEMUM, Sun-rose

nummularium. Fine double yellow. 9 in. June-July.

HELLEBORUS niger, Christmas rose. Large white flowers in late winter. \$1.00 each.



Midsummer Phlox and Lemon Daylilies

HEMEROCALLIS, Daylily, Lemon-lily.

flava. Lemon-yellow. 2½ ft. June. kwanso flore-plena. Double flowers. Orange. July.

thunbergi. Lemon-yellow. 3 ft. July-Aug.

HEMEROCALLIS HYBRIDS. The best of the moderateprice improved hybrids introduced in recent years. 65c each, \$6.00 per dozen, except as noted.

Anna Betscher. Orange yellow lilies. 3½ ft. Mid-July. Gem. Pale yellow, golden throat. 3 ft. Mid-July.

George Yeld. Large yellow with rose blotches. 4 ft. Late July.

Gold Standard. Strong clear yellow. 3 ft. Mid-July.

Harvest Moon. Fine deep bronzy orange. 3½ ft. Mid-July.

Hyperion. Giant flowers, clear canary yellow. 4 ft. July-Aug. 90c.

J. A. Crawford. Deep yellow on paler background. Large flowers. 3½ ft. Early July.
 Lemona. Clean lemon yellow. 4 ft. Late July.

Margaret Perry. Brick-red, yellow stripes and throat. 3 ft. Early July.

Mikado. Striking orange, mahogany throat. 3 ft. Late June.

Mrs. W. H. Wyman. Clear butter-yellow. 3½ ft. July-Aug.

We have lesser quantities of a dozen of the modern hybrids in new and unusual colors.



Iris and Primrose — Two Favorite Spring Perennials

HERBS. Good assortment, including Chives, various Mints, Sage, Winter Savory, Rosemary, Hyssop, True Lavender, Thyme, Lemon Verbena, Parsley, Scented Geraniums, and others.

HEUCHERA, Coral Bells. Airy spikes of graceful flowers, 1 to 2 ft. June-July. Nine outstanding varieties, pure white and all shades of pink from palest to brilliant garnet. Fine large clumps, 75c each, \$7.20 per dozen.

HIBISCUS, Mallow moscheutos. Red, pink, white and mixed. 4-5 ft. Aug.-Sept.

HOLLYHOCKS. Double Newport pink, maroon, white and yellow, and single mixed.

HOSTA (Funkia), Plantain Lily.

lancifolia. Lavender flower spikes. Good in shade. 2 ft. July-Aug.

plantaginea. Very fragrant, pure white. Good in shade. 2 ft. Aug.-Sept. 90c each.

undulata variegata. Wavy-edged green and white foliage. Lavender flowers. 1½ ft. July-Aug.

HYPERICUM calycinum, St. Johnswort. Fine midsummer yellow. 1-1½ ft.

IBERIS, Candytuft

sempervirens Snowflake. Masses of white flowers, evergreen foliage. 6-12 in. May.

Perennials best for picking would include these: Columbine, Asters, Shasta Daisy, Chrysanthemum, Lily of the Valley, Delphiniums, Dianthus, Coreopsis, Doronicum, Baby's Breath, Coral Bells, Iris, Lilies, Lupine, Peonies, Tritoma.

IRIS GERMANICA, German Iris

Ten of the better new varieties carefully chosen for color and good growth in shades of blue, lavender, purple, rose-pink, yellow and white.

IRIS KAEMPFERI, Japanese Iris. Distinctive large flattish flowers of varying tints on 2 to 3 ft. stalks, late June, July. 75c each, \$7.20 per dozen for large flowering-size clumps.

Catherine Perry. Double, deep violet-purple. Gold Bound. Double, pure white, golden throat.

Hercules. Double, lilac blue.

Manad-zura. Double, white veined with blue.

Neptune. Single, deep purple.
Paragon. Single, dark violet-blue.
Purple and Gold. Double, rich purple, gold center.

Templeton. Double, violet-red.

IRIS pumila, Dwarf Iris. 6-8 in. April-May. Bride. Large flowered pure white. Excelsa. Beautiful pale lemon-yellow.

Spring Skies. Fine light blue.

IRIS pumila, Autumn-flowering varieties. Bloom Spring and Fall.

Autumn Queen. Pure snow white.

Coerulea. Bright sky-blue.

Jean Siret. Clear chrome-vellow.

Olive White. Cream color.

KNIPHOFIA ovaria, Red-Hot Poker, Torch Lily. Primrose Beauty. Golden-yellow. 3 ft. Aug.-Sept. Robinhood. Scarlet-orange. 3 ft. July-Sept. Springtime. Fine salmon-pink. 2½ ft. July-Sept. White Fairy. Free flowering creamy white. 2 ft. July-Sept. All Kniphofias, 75c each.

LAVANDULA, True Lavender

officinalis. Fragrant blue. 1-11/2 ft. July-Aug. 90c each. officinalis rosea. Pink flowering variety of the above. 90c each.

LIATRIS, Gayfeather

pycnostachia. Tallest spikes of rosy-purple. 4-6 ft. July-Aug. scariosa alba. White spikes. 2-3 ft. Sept.-Oct. scariosa September Glory. Improved variety, violet spikes. 4-5 ft. Sept. spicata. Lilac-rose. 1½-2½ ft. July-Aug.

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LILIUM. Lilies

auratum platyphyllum, Gold-Banded Lily. Great favorite. now again available. \$1.25 each, \$12.00 a dozen. candidum, Madonna Lily. Waxy white. 3-4 ft. July.

Large bulbs, potted, 90c each, \$9.00 per dozen.

longiflorum. Estate or Hardy Easter Lily. Large white trumpet-type flowers. \$1.25 each, \$12.00 per dozen.

regale, Regal Lily. White, flushed yellow. 3-4 ft. July. 90c each, \$9.00 per dozen.

speciosum album, White Speciosum Lily. Pure white. 2-3 ft. Aug.-Sept. \$1.25 each, \$12.00 per dozen.

speciosum rubrum, Pink Speciosum Lily. Fine large bulbs. 2-3 ft. Aug.-Sept. \$1.25 each, \$12.00 per dozen.

umbellatum, Western Orangecup Lily. Orange-red. 1-2 ft. June-July. 65c each, \$6.00 per dozen.

LINUM, Flax

perenne. Delicate pale blue blossoms all season. 11/2 ft.

LYCORIS, Hardy Amaryllis

Squamigera. Beautiful orchid-pink lilies in late summer. 2 ft. \$1.00 each.

LUPINUS, Lupine

polyphyllus. Blue, white and pink. 3 ft. June. Russell Hybrids. Beautiful colors include pinks, blues, yellows, maroon, bronze in many combinations. Large flowers. 3-4 ft. June-July.

LYTHRUM, Loosestrife

salicaria Morden's Pink. Spikes of bright rose-pink. Likes moisture. 3-4 ft. July-Sept.

MONARDA, Bee Balm

didyma splendens. Cambridge scarlet. 3 ft. July-Aug. didyma Croftway Pink. Clear pink. 3 ft. July-Aug.

NEPETA, Nepeta

mussini, Catmint. Luxuriant masses of lavender-blue. Pleasing gray-green foliage. 1 ft. May-Sept.

PAEONIA, Peony

All 3 to 5 eye clumps or larger. Good reliable doubleflowered varieties, all \$1.25 each.

Duchesse de Nemours. Creamy white, sulphur yellow

Edulis superba. Good deep rose.

Festiva maxima. One of the very best. Fine large fragrant

Karl Rosenfield. Large deep crimson red.

Lady Alexandra Duff. Beautiful soft blush pink, flesh tinted.

M. Julies Elie. Clear medium pink, silvery tinge.

Japanese Single-Flowered Varieties all \$1.50 each.

Ama-no-sode. Large delicate rose-pink.

Jeanne Lepandry. Pure white; flat cream center.

Mikado. Single dark red, golden stamens.

Mignon. Lovely pink.

PAPAVER, Poppy

orientale Hybrids. Pure white, flesh pink, deep crimson and rose-red. 75c each.

PHLOX PANICULATA, Hardy Garden Phlox.

This is probably the most suitable perennial for summer flower masses. We list here a dozen particularly good varieties in most popular colors. We also grow some twenty other kinds that have proved their worth.

Antonin Mercie. Clean pale lavender, white eye.

Beacon. Good cherry-red, medium height.

Daily Sketch. Fine, large, clear pink, deeper eye.

Daybreak. Excellent pale apple-blossom pink, large flowers, medium height.

E. I. Farrington. Best bright salmon-pink, deeper eye.

Fuchsia. New. Real fuchsia red. Medium height.

George Stippe. Deep glowing salmon-pink. Tall.

Graf Zeppelin. Clean white with dark red eye.

Jules Sandeau. Low, clear deep pink without dark eye.

Lillian. Excellent clean soft pink, medium height.

Mary Louise. Best pure white, creamy eye, tall, late.

Miss Lingaard. June-flowering white, glossy foliage.

Mrs. Copeyn. Fine clear soft rose-pink, deeper eye. Dark

foliage. Medium height.

Pinkette. Beautiful palest blush, creamy buds, pink trumpet.

Salmon Glow. Rich pinkish salmon, white eye. Medium.

Spitfire. Brightest fiery orange scarlet, dark foliage.

Weston. Very large ivory-white flowers. Late.

World Peace. Outstanding new large pure white.

PHLOX SUBULATA, Moss Phlox. Creeping varieties make masses of gay spring color. Plants often flower again in the fall. White, blue, and pink varieties.

PLATYCODON, Balloonflower

grandiflorum. One of the very best midsummer perennials.

Large heads of showy star-shaped flowers. Blue and white varieties. 2-4 ft. July-Aug.

Double Blue. 75c each.

Double White. 75c each.

grandiflorum rosea. Light pink shade of the above.

PRIMULA veris, Primrose. We have an exceptionally fine block of these increasingly popular spring favorites, including the lutea strain with all tints of yellow and the Munstead, Monarch, and Giant Bouquet mixtures with many shades of lilac, buff, yellow, maroon and red.

Phlox is so fine in midsummer that it deserves special favor. Contrary to common belief, it will almost never "revert" to the familiar magenta if faded flower heads are cut off before seeds are formed. Spray or dust the foliage of Phlox and Chrysanthemums with Bonsul to control red spider.

ROSMARINUS, Rosemary

officinalis. Favorite fragrant herb. Pale blue. 2-3 ft. May. Large plants in 5-in. pots, \$1.00 each.

SANTOLINA, Lavender-Cotton

incana. Dense silver-gray foliage, yellow flowers. 1 ft. July.

SEDUM, Stonecrop

spectabile. Fleshy gray foliage, rose-pink flower heads. 12-18 in. Aug.-Sept.
Also six selected creeping varieties, good for rock gardens.

SEMPERVIVUM, Houseleek, Hen-and-Chickens. Four interesting varieties of different types.

SHASTA DAISY, see under Chrysanthemums.

STOKESIA, Stokes Aster

Blue Moon. 3-inch crested lavender-blue flowers all summer. 1½-2 ft.

Silver Moon. White-flowered variety.

SWEET WILLIAM

Newport Pink, white and bright red.

TEUCRIUM, Germander

chamaedrys. Glossy dense green foliage permits use as clipped edgings like Boxwood. Rose-pink flowers. 6-12 in. July. \$40.00 per hundred.

THERMOPSIS, Thermopsis

caroliniana. Yellow Lupine. 3-4 ft. June-July.

THYMUS, Creeping Thyme

White, crimson, golden, woolly and lemon-scented varieties.

TRITOMA, see Kniphofia, page 15.

VERONICA, Speedwell

Blue Champion. Light blue. 2-3 ft. July-Aug. 75c each.

Blue Spires. Clear blue. 2 ft. June-July.

incana rosea. Silvery foliage. Mauve pink. 1 ft. July-Aug. longifolia subsessilis. Large purple-blue spikes, clean glossy foliage. 1½-2 ft. July-Aug. 75c each.

Royal Blue. Brightest blue of all, low, compact. 12 in. June.

Spicata alba nana. White spikes. 1½ ft. June-July.

Sunny Border Blue. Deep blue, compact. 18 in. July-Aug. 75c each.

VINCA, Periwinkle, Myrtle. See Ground Covers, page 44.

VIOLA, Tufted Pansy

Cornuta. Super-large flowering Scotch Hybrids. Fine mixture of two-toned flowers in all colors.

Jersey Gem. Rich violet, very hardy. 9-12 in. All summer.

White Jersey Gem. Pure white. All summer.

YUCCA

filamentosa. Creamy-white spikes. 4-6 ft. June-July.

Annuals and Bedding Plants

Annuals are unequalled for constant June-to-frost bloom in gardens, borders and plant boxes.

We grow some 200,000 of the better kinds and colors, carefully selected for their merit. A large proportion are pot-grown, have no set-back when planted out.

Husky healthy plants in everything from Alyssum to Zinnias are ready May 15.

Bulbs for Fall Planting

Tulips, Daffodils, Narcissus, Crocus, Hyacinths, and other so-called "Dutch bulbs" are among the most popular of all hardy flowering plants.

Each fall we carry a fine assortment of the best of the moderate-priced varieties. Planting time is from mid-September until the ground freezes.

Also important for summer gardens are Gladiolus and Dahlias. These must be planted in the Spring, and the bulbs taken up and properly stored each Fall.



An Attractive Cape Cod Dooryard Garden — Chatham

Planting Small Home Grounds

Observations based on experience, with some simple fundamentals of good landscape design, for members of the "Do It Yourself" Club — and others.

Today the average home grounds of Cape Cod, as in suburban areas, are relatively modest in size. So likewise is the income of the home owner.

This makes it more important than ever that investments in landscaping produce a combination of maximum usefulness, maximum attractiveness, and minimum upkeep effort and cost. This is the essence of good landscaping.

A little, done well, is better than more done poorly. "Flawless simplicity" is an ideal objective.

Around the base of the house, simple low plantings make it homelike and inviting, attractive to owners, friends, and passers-by.

A few well-placed trees frame the picture, give

added beauty and useful welcome shade.

Clean, well-kept lawns are more to be preferred than many cluttered spotty plantings, and easier to care for. Unless there is ample room for a flower garden as such, keep as much open area as possible for greater outdoor living uses, and place flowers in marginal borders, with backgrounds of selected flowering shrubs and evergreens.

These marginal plantings, well planned, give privacy where desired, and create and frame pictures of beauty that are seen and enjoyed by family and friends from within the house, in fair weather or foul, all through the year.

Prepare the soil thoroughly before planting, with good depths of fertile loam and proper fertilizers.

This is most important.

Our Cape Cod Nurseries will gladly have a competent representative call and advise you, without obligation, how best to accomplish whatever you may need. You, or they for you if you wish, may select appropriate plants from the Nurseries, and plant them with every assurance of complete satisfaction.

You'll like the results, and the friendly capable service that produces them. The Nursery Headquarters' telephone number is Falmouth 981-R.



A Cape Cod Home Well Planned for Outdoor Living



Roses

Aristocrats of the Plant World

The great appeal of Roses is unique and universal. Character, beauty, fragrance and form — all are found in this outstanding family of plant friends.

Cape Cod seems particularly suited to growing roses. Mild winters and cool summers are favorable. Flower-colors seem brighter near the seashore. Anyone can grow and enjoy fine roses here if he will give them good rich soil, plant the best grade of plants, and take reasonably good care of them.

Hybrid Teas produce long-stemmed flowers in a marvelous range of colors, ideal for picking, beautiful in the garden.

Floribundas are the splendid new class of everblooming compact bush roses producing great masses of color throughout the summer and fall. They are completely hardy, easy to grow, fine for picking.

Grandifloras are the brand-new class of everblooming roses which combines the best features of both Teas and Floribundas. Hardy, healthy, free-flowering, with masses of flowers for outdoor color and long stems for picking.

Climbing and Trailing Roses now include many vastly improved varieties with larger flowers, better growth, and many with repeating bloom in late summer and fall.

Spring planting is recommended here.

Hybrid Tea Roses

For perfection of flower, wide range of color, delightful fragrance and for picking for home use, nothing quite equals today's wide choice of Hybrid Tea roses.

For 1955 we of course include *Tiffany*, this year's only All-America Award winner, and eight other All-America winners of the last few years.

Out of hundreds of good varieties grown, we have selected the following kinds that have proven their

suitability to this region.

Every plant we sell is top-quality field-grown twoyear No. 1 grade, pruned ready for planting.

Prices except where noted:

Dormant plants \$1.75 each, 6 or more at \$1.50 each. Potted plants \$2.25 each, 6 or more at \$2.00 each.

Break o' Day. (Brownell Sub-Zero.) Large pale orange-apricot. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

Briarcliff. Deep rose-pink center, outer petals lighter pink.

Caledonia. Snowy white, large pointed buds.

CAPISTRANO. All-America, 1950. Magnificent clear pink of great vigor, with strong leathery foliage. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

Christopher Stone. Exceptionally fine scarlet-crimson.

CHRYSLER IMPERIAL. The 1953 award winner. Long tapering buds opening to vivid rich crimson. Large high centered flowers measuring $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 inches. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.

Crimson Glory. Gorgeous deep velvety crimson-maroon. Vigorous, rather low and spreading growth.

DIAMOND JUBILEE. 1948 All-America winner. Large flowers of buff-orange and yellow; very prolific bloomer. \$2.75. Potted; \$2.75.

Duquesa de Penaranda. Lovely copper-apricot, long pointed buds.

Edith Nellie Perkins. Salmon-pink flushed orange.

Editor McFarland. Fine clear glowing pink.

Etoile de Hollande. Beautiful large deep red.

Forty-Niner. Plant Pat. 792. Brilliant bicolor, petals red inside and yellow outside. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.

Frau Karl Druschki. Old favorite large-flowered white.

FRED HOWARD. Plant Pat. 1006. 1952 All-America Winner. Rich yellow with large long buds, tipped with pencilling of soft pink. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.

HELEN TRAUBEL. 1952 All-America Winner. A new color blend of luminous apricot and warm pink. Large fragrant flowers of great beauty. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.

Horace McFarland. Plant Pat. 730. Long apricot-orange buds opening to buff and coral-salmon. Potted. \$2.00 each.

Kaiserin Auguste Viktoria. Beautiful creamy-white.

Lily Pons. (Brownell Sub-Zero.) Creamy-white with a pure yellow center. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

McGredy's Ivory. Creamy white with a yellow base.

McGredy's Scarlet. Large brilliant scarlet, shaded rose-pink.

McGredy's Yellow. Nonfading canary yellow, perfect form,
very fragrant.

MISSION BELLS. All-America, 1950. Fragrant full double deep salmon pink flowers. Vigorous grower. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

Mme. Joseph Perraud. Shell pink edges shading to buff and orange center.

MOJAVE. The sensational 1954 All-America winner. Brilliant orange apricot with salmon tints. Long pointed buds above luxuriant foliage. \$3.00. Potted; \$3.50.

Mrs. E. P. Thom. Excellent free-blooming canary-yellow.

Mrs. Sam McGredy. Scarlet-copper-orange, outside flushed red. Very fragrant.

New Yorker. Plant Pat. 823. Called the "best red rose of all time." Very fragrant unfading flowers. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

Orange Ruffles. (New Brownell Sub-Zero.) Orange tones shading to saffron yellow. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

Peace. "All-time All-America." Probably the one best rose today. Huge flowers of cream yellow and pink. Most vigorous grower, with excellent rich foliage. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.

President Herbert Hoover. Copper-red, orange and gold. Queen o' the Lakes. (Brownell Sub-Zero.) The Queen of all double reds. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

Radiance. Popular clear pink.

Red Radiance. Clear watermelon red.

Sister Therese. Chrome-yellow, edges of petals carmine.

SUTTER'S GOLD. All-America, 1950. Beautiful long pointed yellow buds, shaded orange and bronze. Very fragrant. \$2.50. Potted; \$3.00.

Talisman. Popular bicolor, golden yellow with copper and scarlet.

The Doctor. Large buds opening to cupped flowers of satingpink.

TIFFANY. The 1955 All America Winner. A lovely clear pink with glowing salmon undertones. Large, fragrant, long-stemmed blooms on vigorous, disease-resistant plants. \$3.25. Potted \$3.75.

Floribunda Roses

Producing great masses of colorful fragrant bloom from June to frost, very hardy, easy to grow, and fine for picking, Floribundas are fast becoming the most popular class of plants in America today. No home should be without them.

Except as noted, prices are as follows:

Dormant plants \$1.75 each, 6 or more at \$1.50 each. Potted plants \$2.25 each, 6 or more at \$2.00 each.

Betty Prior. Plant Pat. 340. Beautiful silvery, rose-pink single flowers, blooms continuously. Tall growing.

Dagmar Spaeth. Lovely alabaster white edged pink.

Donald Prior. Plant Pat. 377. Huge clusters, bright scarlet crimson.

Else Poulsen. Beautiful semi-double bright rose-pink.

FASHION. Plant Pat. 789. Finest Floribunda yet created. Brilliant coral-salmon overlaid with gold. Most prolific. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

GOLDILOCKS. The one really satisfactory golden yellow Floribunda. Beautiful long lasting flowers; sturdy growth. Potted.

Gruss an Aachen. Great clusters of large tea-rose pink with creamy tints.

JIMINY CRICKET. 1955 All-American Winner. Tangerine-red buds opening to coral-orange, fading to a pink coral. Delightfully fragrant. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.

LaFayette Improved. Large clusters of bright cherry crimson. Very good for dry locations.

LILIBET. The only 1954 All-America Floribunda. Exquisite pink tones ranging from soft rose to pale dawn tints. Very floriferous. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

MA PERKINS. 1953 All-American winner. Free blooming with cuplike flowers opening to a translucent light Fashion color of shades of red with a suffusion of yellow, fading to a soft coral pink. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

Pink Bountiful. Plant Pat. 601. Large lasting clusters of deep reddish pink; fragrant.

Pinocchio. Plant Pat. 484. Brilliant salmon flushed with gold. Pointed buds in constant profusion.

Summer Snow. Clean pure white double flowers in large clusters.

VOGUE. 1952 All-America. Grand flowers of brilliant deep cherry-coral. A true winner. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

White Pinocchio. Plant Pat. 1010. Fine double pure white. World's Fair. Plant Pat. 362. Continuous blooming rose of deep velvety crimson.

The New Grandiflora

QUEEN ELIZABETH. New All America Selection for 1955. First of the new Grandiflora class. Blooms of clean pink, exquisitely formed, with glossy, deep green foliage. \$3.25. Potted \$3.75.

Climbing & Trailing Roses

Great improvements have been made in producing larger flowers, wider color range, hardier growth, and in creating so-called everblooming kinds. Few are literally everblooming, but many are repeat-bloomers, producing abundant flowers at intervals from June through to late fall.

Varieties marked * are especially useful also for

ground covers and low mass effects.

All our plants are top-quality field-grown two-year

No. 1 grade.

Early Spring planting is recommended for dormant plants. After May 1, potted plants are best.

- Prices except where otherwise noted are as follows:

 Dormant plants \$1.50 each, 6 or more at \$1.35 each.

 Potted plants \$2.00 each, 6 or more at \$1.75 each.
- **ALOHA.** Everblooming. Deep coral pink with lighter shadings. Flowers large and very double. Climbs to 6 or 8 feet. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.
- American Pillar. Huge clusters of single flowers, deep carmine pink with white center. Extra strong grower.
- BLAZE. The brilliant everblooming double scarlet.
- Brownell Rambler. Large clear yellow double flowers. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.
- **CLIMBING BREAK O' DAY. Everblooming.** Large double salmon-apricot flowers. Vigorous and hardy. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.
- CLIMBING GOLDILOCKS. Everblooming. At last a thoroughly good rich golden yellow repeater. Most effective. \$2.75. Potted; \$3.25.
- **CLIMBING PEACE.** Everblooming. The tremendously popular Tea Rose now also offered as a true climber. Beautiful large pale yellow flowers touched with pink. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

CLIMBING SUMMER SNOW. Everblooming. Large clusters of snow-white double flowers. A good repeater. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

*Copper Glow. A really beautiful coppery orange. Fragrant. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

DREAM GIRL. Everblooming. Fine full clear coral-pink, very popular. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

Dorothy Perkins. The favorite clear pink rambler.

DR. J. H. NICHOLAS. Everblooming. Extra large double flowers of deep rose pink all season. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

Excelsa. Improved crimson rambler.

*Frederick S. Peck. Deep grenadine pink, yellow center. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

Golden Climber. (Mrs. Arthur Curtis James.) A splendid tall growing clear yellow climber, fragrant. Does not repeat. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

*Golden Glow. Lower growing clear yellow, fine for low fences and walls. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

INSPIRATION. Everblooming. Sparkling tones of salmonpink. A splendid new free-blooming repeater. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

King Midas. Plant Pat. 586. Large double golden yellow flowers. \$2.25. Potted; \$2.75.

Mary Wallace. Large semi-double bright pink.

NEW DAWN. Everblooming. Beautiful tea-rose shell pink. Frequent repeater, glossy foliage.

Orange Everglow. Dazzling coppery orange. \$2.00. Potted; \$2.50.

Paul's Scarlet. Brilliant large-flowered semi-double red.

Silver Moon. Huge creamy white single flowers. Tall growing.

*Wichuraiana. The trailing Memorial Rose. Glossy foliage, white flowers in July; best used as ground cover. \$1.00 each. \$9.00 per dozen.

Cultural Notes on Roses

Spraying. Roses always benefit from regular spraying. Use Rose-tox, a combination that is easy to apply that controls Aphis, Blackspot and all other Rose insects and diseases. Keep the plants and ground clean from infected leaves.

Feeding. For best results feed Roses lightly every three weeks up to mid-August. We recommend Agrico-for-Roses or other well-balanced plant food. A good handful to a plant is about the right amount. Frequent light feeding is better than too much

at one time.



Skilled Use of Low-Growing Plants in Good Scale With Modern Cape Cod Home

Best Plants for Special Uses

APPROPRIATE PLANT SELECTIONS FOR GOOD HOME LANDSCAPING

Seldom do we stop to appreciate how wide is the range and how diversified the characteristics of the thousands of plant species and varieties which thrive in our climate. In size and form, in leaf and flower and fruit, of every shape and color and season, the plant world offers us wide choice of the plant personalities that shall people our gardens and our grounds.

But plants, like people, have likes and dislikes as to where they want to be, and where and when they thrive most pleasantly. Nature controls unerringly the typical character of each. Ours is the choice where to put them, and upon the wisdom of our choosing (and the care we give them) depends the fullest development of each, and the success and satisfaction we achieve.

Knowledge of plants, and long experience in their best uses, supports the following suggestions, by no means complete, for plants we recommend for these special uses.

LOW-GROWING PLANTS FOR HOUSE FOUNDATIONS AND ATTRACTIVE FACING FOR TALLER PLANTS

Too many people still plant Pines and Spruces, and tallgrowing Arborvitaes and Retinosporas around the base of the house. They do look "cute" when they're young, but they



Vitex and Buddleia Add Cool Midsummer Color

quickly grow up to be big trees that cover the windows and smother the house.

There are many fine plants that are naturally low-growing, spreading, compact, rounded, or semi-upright in maturity. They are in better taste, make excellent permanent plantings, don't have to be rearranged or taken out every few years, re-

quire no harsh pruning. Here are some of the best:

Evergreens: Boxwood, Spreading and Dwarf Yews and Junipers, Leucothoe, Laurel-cherry, Inkberry, Dwarf Japanese and Box-leaf Holly, Wilson Rhododendron, Laurel, Dwarf Mugho Pine, Hinoki Cypress, Azaleas, Abelia, Pieris, Globe Arborvitae, Dwarf Biota; and of course the ground-cover plants like Myrtle, Pachysandra, Pachistima, English Ivy, Euonymous, Daphne, and Heather.

Deciduous: Floribunda Roses, Azaleas, Barberry, Bayberry, Warminster Broom, Cotoneaster, Dwarf Deutzias, Blue Hy-

drangea, Regel Privet, Waterer Spirea, and Vitex.

PLANTS FOR MIDSUMMER FLOWER BEAUTY

Summer residents add materially to the pleasure of living on

Cape Cod.

Naturally they like trees, grounds, and gardens to be at their best in midsummer, while they may enjoy them. We natives, too, take pride in trying to have our year-round homes in good shape at that time. Here are plants that help:

Kousa Dogwood is a beautiful small tree that is covered in

late June and early July with large creamy flowers.

In shrubs we like Rose of Sharon, Butterfly Bush, Vitex, Hydrangeas, Sweetpepper, Waterer Spirea, and particularly the Floribunda Roses.

In evergreens, the Rosebay Rhododendron, Abelia, and the

popular Scotch Heather are in full flower.

Summer leaders in hardy perennials are: Phlox in a great many beautiful colors; Lemon Lilies, Balloonflower, several fine Lilies, Astilbe, Shasta Daisy, Globe Thistle, Japanese Iris, Gayfeather, Stokesia, Veronica, and Mallows.

All the annual flowers are of course at their best all summer

long, and through to frost.

FOR BRILLIANT FALL COLOR

Many fine hardy plants provide a rich bonus in brilliance of autumn foliage, and often of gaily colored fruits.

Among the trees, Maples and Oaks, Beeches, Birches, and

Dogwoods wear gay autumn clothing.

For brightest foliage in the shrubs, the Winged Euonymus (Corkbark or Burningbush) in flaming cerise leads all others. Clethra, Sweetshrub, Mock Orange and Rugosa Roses sport the



Maples with Their Autumn Garb of Scarlet and Gold

yellows; Barberry, Blueberries, dwarf Maples, native Huckleberry, Woodbine vines, Cotoneasters, Red-vein Enkianthus, and Beachplum have the brighter reds; Forsythia, Doublefile Viburnum, Leucothoe, and Andorra Junipers give purplish

Chrysanthemums are the great fall flower color group, with Hardy Asters supplying attractive complementing blues and

purples.

Brilliance of fruit color gives many plants an even greater beauty than their flowers, a beauty which often lasts all fall and well into winter. Holly is an outstanding example.

PLANTS GOOD IN SHADY PLACES

It isn't the shade alone, but fully as much the lack of moisture, or competition with roots of trees that cast the shade, which limits the choice of plants for such locations. These plants are tolerant of conditions on the shady sides of buildings and in areas shaded by higher plant growth. It should be remembered that almost none of these require shade, nor will the flowering kinds produce as colorful displays in shady spots as in sunny places. It is just that they do tolerate lack of light much better than others do.

Evergreens: Boxwood, most Evergreen Azaleas, Euonymus, Yews, Leucothoe, Japanese Holly, Pieris, Rosebay and Caro-

lina Rhododendron, Inkberry, Abelia.

Small Trees and Shrubs: Dogwoods, Clethra, Snowberry, Mock-Orange, Barberry, most Viburnums, Bush Honeysuckle, Corkbark Euonymus, Sweetshrub, Forsythia, and Privets.

Vines and Ground Covers: English Ivy, Euonymus, Virginia

Creeper, Porcelain Berry, Honeysuckle, Myrtle, Pachysandra,

Pachistima, Ferns.

Hardy Perennials: Monkshood, Columbine, Astilbe, Snakeroot, Lily of the Valley, Bleeding Heart, Foxglove, Lemon Lily, Plantain Lily, German Iris, and Violas.

THE USE OF NATIVE PLANTS

Cape Cod is unusually rich in the variety and character of its native plant materials. We believe in these natives and use

them constantly.

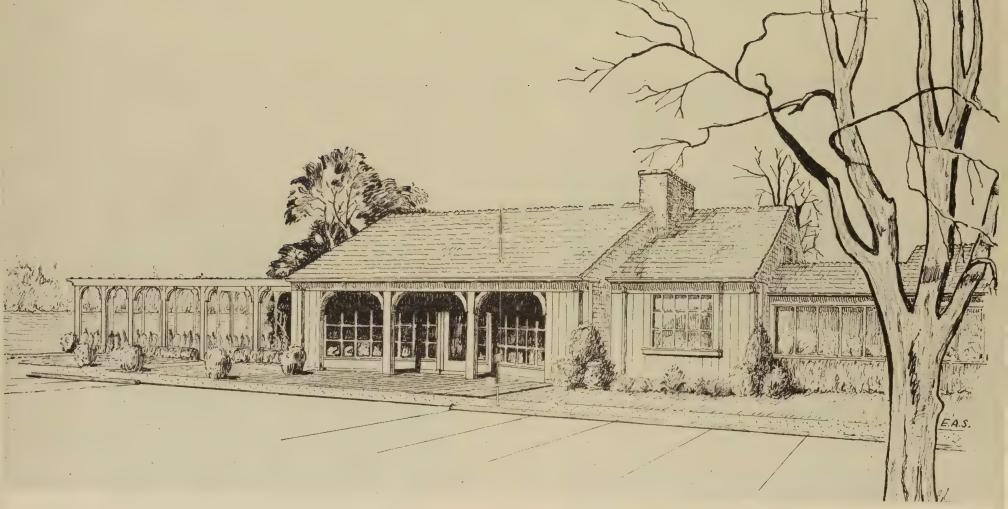
Cedars, birches, red maples, oaks, beeches and tupelo are leaders among the trees. The native pitch pine is not often safely transplanted. American holly is a Cape Cod native and is increasingly popular and valuable.

Best known native shrubs are beachplum, the fragrant bayberry, wild roses, sweetfern, blueberry, dwarf gray willow, sweetpepper, swamp azalea, chokeberry, shadblow, the glossy evergreen inkberry, and several varieties of viburnum.

Many provide especially brilliant early fall colors, as do the

native woodbine and the several sumacs.

Most of these native plants we grow in our Cape Cod Nurseries. Many we collect from the wild and plant them successfully throughout this section. Like true Cape Codders, they are often rugged individualists, with a character and a reliability that make them good friends well worth knowing.



Our New Cape Cod Gardening Center

ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF HIGHWAY ROUTE 28 IN EAST FALMOUTH

chieving an ambition of long standing, we announce with pleasure the creation of our new nursery sales headquarters and the opening this spring of our new H. V. Lawrence Cape Cod Gardening Center.

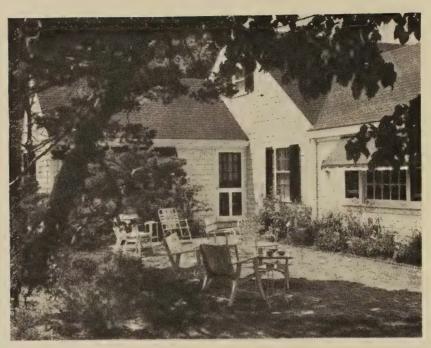
Along with our complete range of Cape-grown hardy plants we now will offer here a full line of home gardening equipment, including packaged fertilizers, grass seeds, insecticides, hose, sprayers, tools—

everything needed to keep your home grounds thriving and attractive.

With its greater customer convenience and wider selection, all in line with today's trend to "do it yourself," the Cape Cod Gardening Center marks a major step forward in serving the public.

We invite you and all your friends to make full use of this expanded service for better gardening on Cape Cod.





This Comfortable Cape Cod Living Terrace Takes Full Advantage of an Inviting Setting

Outdoor Living Rooms – To-day's Pleasant Grend

Make your own home grounds a delightful outdoor living room for your family and your friends, and enjoy it all year long.

Relaxation, healthy outdoor fun, and friendly hospitality all are yours when you combine greater usefulness with increased beauty in your own back yard.

Whether your home is large or very modest, today's trend is more and more to tie the indoors closely with the outdoors, so that each complements the other and both together make for fuller home enjoyment.

We are constantly planning new home grounds, and rearranging others, large and small, to help this idea of gracious happy living.

We build and design outdoor living terraces, colorful flower-bordered lawn areas, enclosures of wisely chosen plantings for privacy and year-round beauty. Play areas for youngsters of all ages; cook-out fireplace areas; good trees well placed for shade where needed; pools for lilies, fish and children.

Have what your family and friends will most enjoy. Keep it simple, to keep care at a minimum. Plan it carefully. Build it well. Plant it in good taste, with thought for its appearance from indoors as well as out, through all four seasons of the year. Build it one section at a time if need be, to fit the family budget.

For the rest of your life you'll find it's an investment that brings ever-increasing returns.

Our landscape specialists will gladly help you enjoy today's swing to more healthful happy living.

An hour or two of leisure after the day's work, holidays, and today's long weekends, all suggest this pleasant possibility of vacations in your own back yard.



Terrace and Garden Unite Indoors and Outdoors



Beautiful Flowering Shrubs Frame the Lawn and Enclose a Secluded Garden

Deciduous Flowering Shrubs

This class of plants offers a most satisfying combination of beauty of flower, varying seasons of bloom, easy handling and maintenance, and quickest return on very modest investments.

Many provide extra dividends of brilliant autumn foliage and colorful fruits that prolong their attractiveness through late fall and even into winter.

Some, such as lilacs, viburnums, honeysuckles, grow tall and quite imposing. Others, like dwarf deutzias, barberry, bayberry, cotoneasters and floribunda roses, are low growing, particularly good for use in connection with single-story houses, both Cape Cod traditional and modern ranch-type homes. Still others are especially useful for close-clipped hedges.

Many other fine flowering shrubs are listed among the evergreens, on pages 49 to 53. Spring and fall are equally good planting times for shrubs.

General List of Flowering Shrubs

AZALEAS—Leaders among Flowering Shrubs arborescens, Sweet Azalea. White. June.	Each	Dozen
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 ft., B. & B	\$4.50	\$51.00
calendulacea, Flame Azalea. Yellow-orange. Late May. 18 to 24 in., B. & B	6.00 8.00	67.20
kaempferi, Torch Azalea. Brilliant flame- red show in May and June. 15 to 18 in., B. &. B.	5.00	
mollis, Chinese Azalea. Large flowers in yellow and orange tints, May-June. 15 to 18 in., B. & B. 18 to 24 in., B. & B.	5.00 6.00	57.00
vaseyi, Shell-pink Azalea. Pink. AprMay. $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 ft., B. & B	5.00	57.00
viscosa, Swamp Azalea. White. Fragrant. June-July. Fine late-blooming native. Likes moist ground. 1½ to 2 ft., B. & B	3.50 4.50	39.00 51.00
AMELANCHIER canadensis, Downy Shadble Early spring native favorite, white flower clusters in late April and May. 3 to 4 ft		22.20
BERBERIS thunbergi, Japanese Barberry 1½ to 2 ft\$50.00 per 100	.70	7.20
thunbergi atropurpurea, Redleaf Barberry.	1.25	13.20
BUDDLEIA, Butterfly Bush Pink Dawn. Good pink.		
2 year field-grown	1.50	16.20
Ile de France. Dark purple. 2 year field-grown	1.50	16.20
White Bouquet. Fine, hardy white variety.	1.50	16.20

CALLICARPA japonica, Japanese Beauty Berry. Clusters of bright violet berries in late summer. Very distinctive.	Each	Dozen
	\$1.50	\$16.20
CALYCANTHUS floridus, Sweet Shrub. Old favorite, strawberry-scented, chocolate-color flowers in July. 2 to 3 ft	1.50	16.20
CHAENOMELES lagenaria, Flowering Quince. candida. Beautiful white-flowered variety. Scarce.	2.00	
1½ to 2 ft	2.00	
Pink Hybrid. Delicate clear pink flowers. 1½ to 2 ft	2.00	
sanguinea. Bright scarlet, early spring.	2.00	
CLETHRA alnifolia, Summer Sweet. Choice native, white spikes of spicy fragrance in July-August.		
1½ to 2 ft	1.25	13.20
CORNUS alba (siberica), Red-stem Dogwood. Bright red twigs, white flowers, blue berries.		
3 to 4 ftstolonifera flaviramea, Golden Twig Dogwood. Bright yellow twigs, very gay.	1.75	19.20
2 to 3 ft	1.50	16.20
For Tree Dogwoods, please see page 55.		
COTINUS coggygria, Smoke Tree. Old favorite. Purplish mist-like fruiting clusters give smoky effect in summer.	2.25	
2 to 3 ft	2.25	
COTONEASTER divaricata, Spreading Coton Graceful form, glossy foliage, full of red berries well into winter. Clips well for hedges.	easter.	
1½ to 2 ft., B. & B	2.25	24.00
2 to 3 ft., B. & B	3.00	33.00
horizontalis, Rock Cotoneaster. Fan-shaped spreading growth is most effective either as ground cover or splayed against low walls. Bright red berries.		
12 to 15 in. Potted	3.50	39.00
praecox, Creeping Cotoneaster. Makes low mounds, has large red berries. 12 to 15 in. Potted	3.50	39.00
CYDONIA see Chaenomeles	3.30	37.00

CYTISUS praecox, Warminster Broom. Low, compact, with creamy flowers in May. 3-year potted plants	Each \$1.25	Dozen
scoparius, Scotch Broom. The popular seminative. Bright yellow, May Several other unusual varieties.	1.25	\$13.20
DEUTZIA gracilis, Slender Deutzia. White flowers in June. Dwarf.	1.50	16 20
15 to 18 in	1.50	
1½ to 2 ft	1.50	16.20
2 to 3 ft	1.25 1.50	13.20 16.20
ELEAGNUS umbellata, Russian Olive. Silvery green foliage, spotted fruit. Sturdy grower in sea-wind exposures.		
3 to 4 ft	1.50 2.00	16.20 22.20
leaves with silvery backs. 3 to 4 ft	2.00	22.20
ENKIANTHUS campanulatus, Red Vein En Exceptionally fine tall growing shrub. Creamy bell-flowers veined with red. Brilliant red fall foliage.	kianthu	ıs.
2 to 3 ft., B. & B. 3 to 4 ft., B. & B. 4 to 5 ft., B. & B.	5.00 6.50 9.00	
EUONYMUS alatus, Winged Euonymus. Corkridged bark, bright green foliage turns brilliant cerise-pink in fall.		
2 to 3 ft	3.25 4.00	45.00
Dense-growing semi-dwarf variety, same brilliant color. 18 to 24 in	2.75	30.00
2 to 3 ft FORSYTHIA intermedia spectabilis, Showy	3.50	39.00
Forsythia. The best and showiest of all. April gold flowers cover every branch.	Dorder	
3 to 4 ft	1.75 2.00	19.20 22.20
Profuse bloomer. 3 to 4 ft	2.00 2.25	22.20 24.00

HIBISCUS syriacus, Rose of Sharon, Althea. Summer-flowering favorite. White and blue in 2 to 3 ft. size only; pale pink and red in all sizes.	Each	Dozen
2 to 3 ft. 3 to 4 ft. 4 to 5 ft.	\$1.50 2.00 3.00	\$16.20 22.20 33.00
HYDRANGEA arborescens gr. fl., Snowhill Hydrangea. White flowers in round heads in June. 2 to 3 ft.	1.50	16.20
macrophylla Double Blue. Prominent Cape Cod favorite. Hardy. Strong 3-year plants	5.00	10.20
macrophylla Single Blue. Graceful flat flower-heads, quite distinctive. Strong 3-year plants	5.00	
paniculata, Panicle Hydrangea. Open loose panicles, often preferred. Aug. 2 to 3 ft	1.50	16.20
paniculata gr. fl., Pee Gee Hydrangea. Familiar dense pointed flower heads, white fading to pink. Aug. 2 to 3 ft	1.50	16.20
ILEX verticillata, Winterberry. The splendid native shrub, covered with Christmas red berries all fall. Prefers moist locations.		
3 to 4 ft	1.75	19.20
bright yellow flowers, showy green stems. 1½ to 2 ft	1.75	19.20
KOLKWITZIA amabilis, Beauty Bush. Well named; long arching branches covered in June with hundreds of soft pink bells.		
2 to 3 ft	1.75 2.25	19.20 24.00
LIGUSTRUM obtusifolium, Ibota Privet. Spreading growth. Very hardy. Black berries. 3 to 4 ft. extra heavy	1.00	10.80
obtusifolium regelianum, Regel Privet. Low- growing spreader, good facer for tall shrubs. 2 to 3 ft	1.10	12.00
ovalifolium, California Privet. Excellent heavy dark green foliage. Most used for hedges. 2 to 3 ft	50	4.00
3 to 4 ft\$40.00 per 100	.50 .60	4.80 5.40

LONICERA fragrantissima, Fragrant Honeysuckle. Earliest flowering of all shrubs. Deliciously sweet creamy flowers in March and April.	Each	Dozen
3 to 4 ft tatarica alba, White Tatarian Honeysuckle. tatarica rosea, Pink Tatarian Honeysuckle. tatarica rubra. Bright rose-red flowers. Above three varieties	\$3.00	
3 to 4 ft	1.50 1.75	\$16.20 19.20
MYRICA pensylvanica, Bayberry. Best Cape Cod native. Waxy gray berries make candles. Glossy foliage makes fine low masses.		
15 to 18 in	1.75 2.00	19.20 22.20
PHILADELPHUS coronarius, Mock Orange. Favorite "Sweet Syringa." Pure white flowers in June.		
3 to 4 ft	1.75 2.00	19.20 22.20
3 to 4 ft	1.50 1.75	16.20 19.20
center. Vigorous shapely growth. 4 to 5 ft	3.00	
in June, and often later at intervals. 3 to 4 ft	2.00	22.20
PRUNUS glandulosa, Double Pink Flowering Almond. Dwarf, double rose-pink flowers, April-May.		
2 to 3 ft	2.00	
1½ to 2 ft	1.50	16.20
2 to 3 ft	2.00	
ROSA hugonis, Golden Rose of China. Long arching sprays of single yellow flowers in mid-May. Strong 2-year plants multiflora, Japanese Rose. Now widely promoted for living fences, thick hedges and	1.75	19.20
barrier plantings. Strong 2-year transplants \$30.00 per 100	.60	4.80

maa.		
rugosa, Rugosa Rose. The one best shrub for stiff sea-wind exposures. Showy deep pink	Each	Dozen
flowers, followed by bright red "hips." 1½ to 2 ft rugosa alba, White Rugosa Rose.	\$1.50	\$16.20
1½ to 2 ft rugosa Agnes. True rugosa hybrid with large fragrant double yellow flowers in	1.75	19.20
June. $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 ft	1.75	19.20
ROSE OF SHARON. See Hibiscus.		
SPIRAEA bumalda Anthony Waterer. Fine midsummer dwarf shrub, flat heads of oldrose flowers. July-Sept. 1½ to 2 ft	1.75	19.20
cantoniensis (reevesiana). Double Reeves Spirea. A handsome low Spirea with arching branches covered with large double flowers in June. Valuable also for its clean, dark, long-lasting foliage.		
vanhouttei, Vanhoutte Spirea. Popularly called Bridal Wreath. Graceful branches covered with great masses of white flowers in late May and June. 2 to 3 ft	1.50	16.20
3 to 4 ft	1.75	19.20
SYMPHORICARPOS albus, Snowberry. Old- fashioned Waxberry. Large white fruits all fall compensate for rather frail growth. 3 to 4 ft	1.75	19.20
SYRINGA josikaea, Hungarian Lilac. Fine lavender flowers in late June. Large leathery foliage.		
3 to 4 ft persica, Persian Lilac. Rich lilac flowers in May and June. Small leaves.	2.00	22.20
2 to 3 ft	1.75	19.20
1½ to 2 ft 2 to 3 ft 3 to 4 ft	1.50 1.75 2.00	16.20 19.20 22.20
vulgaris alba, Common White Lilac 2 to 3 ft	2.00 2.50	22.20 27.00
FRENCH HYBRID LILACS Named varieties, several kinds in varying si 2 to 3 ft. 3 to 4 ft.	zes: 3.00 4.50	
0.40.3		

TAMARIX pentandra. Summer-blooming Tamarix. Feathery bluish foliage, pink flowers in July. Stands sea-winds.	Each	Dozen
3 to 4 ft	\$1.75	\$19.20
VACCINIUM corymbosum, Highbush Blueberry. Fine native, edible fruit. 2 to 3 ft., B. & B	2.50 3.50	
VIBURNUM CARLCEPHALUM, New Fragrant Snowball. Sensational new introduction. 5 to 6-inch heads of very fragrant flowers cover the plant in May. 1½ to 2 ft	6.00	
carlesi, May flower V. One of the best of all shrubs; very sweet; May. 1½ to 2 ft., B. & B	4.25	
dentatum, Arrowwood V. Native. Cream flowers late June; blue fruits.		10.20
3 to 4 ft	1.75	19.20
2 to 3 ft	3.00 3.75	
sieboldi, Siebold V. White, June; red fruits; makes large specimens. 2 to 3 ft	2.25	
tomentosum, Doublefile V. Large flat flower heads, June; distinctive. 2 to 3 ft	2.50 3.25	27.00 36.00
trilobum, Cranberry V. Very large red fruits in fall and winter. 3 to 4 ft	2.00	22.20
VITEX macrophylla, Chastetree. Large		
clear blue flower spikes, AugSept. 1½ to 2 ft. Potted	2.00	22.20
WEIGELA candida, Snow Weigela. Long branches of pure white flowers in June. 3 to 4 ft	1.50	16.20
florida, Pink Weigela. One of the most floriferous shrubs. June. 3 to 4 ft	1.75	19.20
Crimson Hybrid. Deep crimson-red. 2 to 3 ft	1.50 2.00	16.20 22.20
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Climbing Roses Feature Many a Cape Cod Home

Hardy Ground Covers and Climbing Vines

Here is a class of most attractive plants which offer added beauty, new interest, and practical usefulness.

More and more in place of grass, such plants as Myrtle, Pachysandra, English Ivy, Heather, Bearberry, and Ferns are used for permanent ground-cover planting in shade where grass does not do well, and also to cover open soil among taller plants.

Trailing vines such as Euonymus, Honeysuckle, and trailing Roses, properly planted and controlled, and also collected turfs of native ground-cover plants serve well to improve barren slopes and eliminate erosion.

Climbing vines like the Ivies, Clematis, Wistaria, Roses, the fast growing Fleece Vine and others are good investments, most desirable for cover and flower beauty on buildings, trellises, fences and walls.

AMPELOPSIS brevipedunculata (heterophylla), Porcelainberry. Bright turquoise		
fruit in fallquinquefolia and tricuspidata. See Parthenocissus, page 47.	\$1.50	\$16.20
ARCTOSTAPHYLOS uva-ursi, Bearberry or Wild Cranberry. Makes dense mats of glossy dark green, turning reddish bronze through fall and winter. One of the best ground covers for sandy soils. Well branched, from 3-inch pots	.75	7.80
ARISTOLOCHIA durior, Dutchman's Pipe	2.25	
	ng in gr massing borders	eat progon dry
	Each	
Vine		Dozen
CELASTRUS scandens, Bittersweet Extra large, 4-year plants	1.50	
CLEMATIS paniculata, Virgin's Bower. Masses of deliciously fragrant star-shaped white flowers in September	1.00	\$10.80
flowering varieties, blooming in mid- summer. Potted plants	2.00 n.	
Note: Potted plants of certain vines for la	te plan	iting at

Note: Potted plants of certain vines for late planting at 50c. extra per plant.

ERICA darleyensis, True Heath. February and March bloom of pink flowers above low spreading evergreen masses; most distinc-	Each	Dozen
tive. Hardy here. 8 inches	\$.90	\$9.60
EUONYMUS, Evergreen Wintercreeper. The popular family of clinging evergreen vines. fortunei carrieri. Glossy Wintercreeper. Rampant grower with spreading branches.		
18 to 24 in	1.50	16.20
ing in fall. 2-year plants	1.25	13.20
fortunei minimus, Baby Wintercreeper. 6-in. pots	1.50	16.20
fortunei radicans, Evergreen Wintercreeper. Close clinging, fine foliage.		
3-year plants	1.50	16.20
2-year plants	1.00 1.50	10.80 16.20
FERNS. Excellent ground covers, see page 12.		
GRAPES. Double-value, abundant fruit and strong foliage. See page 59.		
HEDERA helix, English Ivy	1.00	10.00
4 in. potshelix baltica, Baltic Ivy 3 in. pots	1.00	9.60
HYDRANGEA petiolaris, Climbing Hydrangea. A rare plant. Covered with flat white flower heads in summer. Clings to masonry. 4-year old, pot-grown	3.25	
LONICERA halliana, Hall's Japanese Honeysu		
Field-grown plants	.75	7.80
2-year, No. 1sempervirens, Scarlet Trumpet Honeysuckle.	1.50	
Brilliant flame color. 2-year, No. 1	1.50	
PACHYSANDRA terminalis, Japanese Spurge. Quickly thickens to make masses of clean glossy ground cover in shade. Heavy pot-grown plants or field-grown		
clumps \$25.00 per 100	.35	3.60
PACHISTIMA canbyi. Refined low-spreading dwarf evergreen, good for edging and as ground cover in light shade	1.00	10.80

PARTHENOCISSUS quinquefolia, Virginia Creeper. The native Woodbine so brilliant	Each	Dozen
in early fall	\$1.50	\$16.20
tricuspidata, Boston Ivy. Best clinging vine for quick cover on stone or brick	1.50	16.20
POLYGONUM auberti, Fleece Vine. Fastest- growing hardy vine. Foamy masses of creamy flowers in July	1.25	13.20
ROSES, Climbing and Trailing. (See page 26.)		
VINCA, Ground Myrtle or Periwinkle minor alba. The rare white flowered va-		
riety\$40.00 per 100	.65	6.00
minor Bowles' variety. Flowers brilliant blue; evergreen ground cover, thriving in		
shade	.65	6.00
WISTARIA sinensis, blue, Chinese Wistaria. Strong grafted plants	2.00	
sinensis alba. White Wistaria. An excellent vine. Strong grafted plants	2.50	

The Lawrence Maintenance Service

Most of us don't seem to find time or energy to keep up our grounds as we'd like to have them.

Lawns need regular mowing; flower beds need edging and cultivation; faded flowers should be cut off; leaves and litter always accumulate; lawns and drivery and acceptant relains.

driveways need occasional raking.

To keep them in good condition and appearance, hedges need occasional clipping; shrubs and trees require skilled pruning. Those flowering in early spring should be pruned right after the flowers fade; others in fall or early spring.

Sounds like quite an undertaking. But it needn't be if done a little at a time, and at the right time, by those who know what is needed and how to do it.

H. V. Lawrence's special maintenance crews are well equipped with knowledge, experience and tools to do whatever is required to keep your grounds attractive and healthy. Charges are reasonable, too.

Of course, if you are a charter member of the Do-It-Yourself Club, more power to you. We'll gladly supply you all the plants, tools, fertilizers, seeds, insecticides, you need. And with good equipment, you'll be well able to do a fine job.

Either way, we're here to help you.



Evergreen Grees and Shrubs

Constant beauty throughout the entire year is perhaps the greatest single attribute of the Ever-

greens.

Of almost equal value is the rich and abundant flower production of many of the broadleaf types. Rhododendrons and Laurel are the best known examples. Pieris (commonly called Andromeda) and Firethorn are two exceptionally fine kinds for home use.

All the Hollies — there are several varieties — are

outstandingly beautiful evergreens.

Pines, Spruces, Red Cedars, and most of the Arborvitaes and False Cypress make large trees, and should be planted away from the house.

For house plantings and low borders, the spreading Yews, Junipers, many broadleafs, and a variety of

dwarf types of evergreens are most valuable.

ABELIA grandiflora, Abelia. Graceful low shrub, glossy foliage, arbutus-like flowers from July to October.	Each	Dozen
15 to 18 in., potted plants	\$3.25	\$36.00
A 1		
Azaleas		
AZALEA amoena. Rosy-purple. May 18 to 24 in	5.00	
Flame. Copper-red. Early 15 to 18 in	4.00	
hinodegiri. Bright scarlet. May-June 12 to 15 in	5.00	
15 to 18 inhinamoyo. Soft pink. May	6.00	
9 to 12 inindica alba. White. Late spring	3.00	
15 to 18 in	5.00 7.50	
BUXUS sempervirens, Common Boxwood 12 to 15 in 15 to 18 in 18 to 24 in 2 to 2½ ft Prices on larger specimens on request.	3.00 4.50 6.00 8.00	
BUXUS suffruticosa, Old English Boxwood. For edging 6 to 8 in	.90	9.60
CALLUNA, Scotch Heather, see page 45.	•,, 0	7100
False Cypress — Chamaecyparis, Ro	etinos	pora
CHAMAECYPARIS obtusa erecta, Column Hinoki Falsecypress.		
2 to 3 ft	6.00 8.00	
obtusa gracilis, Slender Hinoki Falsecypress. 12 to 15 in	4.00	
18 to 24 in	6.00	
obtusa nana, Dwarf Hinoki Falsecypress. Very dwarf. 12 to 15 in	4.50	
pisifera, Sawara Falsecypress.		
pisifera aurea, Golden Sawara Falsecypress.		
pisifera plumosa, Plume Falsecypress. pisifera plumosa aurea, Goldenplume False-		
cypress. Prices on the above four varieties:		
18 to 24 in	3.00 4.50	33.00 51.00
3 to 4 ft	6.00	67.20

CHAMAECYPARIS — continued pisifera filifera, Thread Falsecypress. 18 to 24 in 2 to 3 ft 3 to 4 ft	Each \$4.50 6.00 8.00	Dozen
pisifera squarrosa, Gray Moss Falsecypress. 2 to 3 ft	4. 50 6. 00	\$51.00 67.20
CYTISUS praecox, Warminster Broom. Low, compact, with creamy flowers in May. 3-year potted plants	1.25	
scoparius, Scotch Broom. The popular seminative, bright yellow, May	1.25	13.20
DAPHNE cneorum, Garland Flower 9 to 12 in	2.75	
ERICA, Heath, see page 46.		
EUONYMUS japonicus, Evergreen Burningbur 12 to 15 inOther varieties, see Vines, page 46.	sh 2.00	
Holly — Ilex		
ILEX aquifolium, English Holly. Hardy on Cape Cod. 12 to 18 in. potted plants	3.00	
crenata Helleri, Dwarf Japanese Holly 9 to 12 in	4.00	
crenata convexa, Boxleaf Holly 12 to 15 in. 15 to 18 in. 18 to 24 in.	4.5 0 6.0 0 8.0 0	
glabra, Inkberry, nursery-grown 15 to 18 in	3.50 4.50	39.00 51.00
opaca, American Holly. The great popular favorite. Hardy nursery-grown plants, safest to move. 9 to 12 inch, all berry-bearing, potted plants	2.50	

Junipers — Juniperus

Jumpers — Jumperus		
JUNIPERUS chinensis pfitzeriana, Pfitzer Juniper (spreading)	Each	Dozen
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 ft	\$7.00 8.50	\$78.00
horizontalis depressa plumosa, Andorra Jun 1½ to 2 ft. spread	5.50	61.20
horizontalis glauca hetzi, Hetz Blue Juniper (spreading) 1½ to 2 ft	7.00	79.00
2 to 3 ft	8.50	78.00
1½ to 2 ft	6.00	67.20
3 to 4 ft	5.00 6.50	57.00 72.00
KALMIA latifolia, Mountain Laurel 1½ to 2 ft., Nursery grown 2 to 2½ ft., Nursery grown	7.00 8.50	
LEUCOTHOE catesbaei, Drooping Leucothoe 12 to 15 in	4.00	
PACHISTIMA canbyi. Canby Pachistima. Refined low-spreading dwarf evergreen, good in light shade	1.00	10.80
Spruces — Picea		
PICEA glauca, White Spruce 4 to 5 ft	9.00	
9 to 12 inexcelsa, Norway Spruce	3.00	
3 to 4 ft	6.00 8.00 12.00	
2 to 3 ft	7.00 9.00	
3 to 4 ft	12.00	
PIERIS floribunda, Mountain Andromeda 18 to 24 in	8.00	
12 to 15 in	3.50 5.00 7.00 9.00	39.00 57.00 78.00

Pines — Pinus

1) (1 D)	Dock	Dozen
PINUS mugo mughus, Mugho Pine. 15 to 18 in. spread	\$5.50	Dozen
nigra (austriaca), Austrian Pine 2 to 3 ft 3 to 4 ft	6.00 8.00	
resinosa, Red Pine 3 to 4 ft 4 to 5 ft 5 to 6 ft	6.00 8.00 11.00	\$67.20
thunbergi, Japanese Black Pine		
The very best evergreen for seashore experiments 18 to 24 in	4.00 6.00 8.00	45.00
PRUNUS laurocerasus, Laurelcherry 9 to 12 in. spread	1.50	
PYRACANTHA coccinea lalandi, Firethorn From 5 in. pots	3.00	
Rhododendrons		
RHODODENDRON carolinianum, Carolina		
Rhododendron 15 to 18 in., Nursery grown. 18 to 24 in. 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	5.50 7.50 9.00	61.20
laetevirens, Wilson Rhododendron. Early,		
rose pink 12 to 15 in. 15 to 18 in. 18 to 24 in.	5.00 6.00 8.00	
maximum, Rosebay Rhododendron		
2 to 3 ft., Nursery grown	7.50 11.00	84.00
RHODODENDRON HYBRIDS — Seedlings		
12 to 15 in. Heavy plants	5.00 6.50 9.00	57.00 72.00

Yews — Taxus

TAXUS baccata repandens, Spreading English	Each	Dozen
Yew 12 to 15 in	\$4.25	\$48.00
cuspidata, Spreading Japanese Yew. Heavy plants	•	
15 to 18 in. spread. 18 to 24 in. spread. 2 to 2½ ft	5.00 6.50 9.00	57.00 72.00
cuspidata capitata, Upright Japanese Yew 1½ to 2 ft 2 to 2½ ft 2½ to 3 ft 3 to 3½ ft	6.50 8.50 12.00 15.00	
cuspidata nana, Dwarf Japanese Yew 12 to 15 in. spread	5.00 6.00 9.00	
media hatfieldi, Hatfield Yew (upright) 15 to 18 in. 18 to 24 in. 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ ft.	6.00 7.00 9.50	67.20 78.00
media hicksi, Hicks Yew 15 to 18 in	4.50 6.50 8.00	51.00 72.00
Arborvitae — Thuja		
THUJA occ. globosa, Globe Arborvitae		
15 to 18 in	3.00 4.00	33.00 45.00
occ. nigra, New, Dark American Arborvitae 18 to 24 in. 2 to 3 ft. 3 to 4 ft. 4 to 5 ft. 5 to 6 ft.	3.25 4.50 6.00 8.00 10.00	36.00 51.00 67.20
occ. pyramidalis, Pyramidal Arborvitae 2 to 3 ft 3 to 4 ft 4 to 5 ft	5.00 6.50 8.00	57.00 72.00
occ. wareana, Siberian Arborvitae 18 to 24 in 2 to 3 ft 3 to 4 ft	4.50 6.00 8.00	51.00 67.20
orientalis aurea nana, Golden Dwarf Biota 15 to 18 in	4.00	
ULEX hispanica. True Scotch Gorse. Yellow flowers in spring. 4 in. pots	1.50	



The Majesty of a Magnificent Specimen Elm. Sadly, this tree was destroyed by the 1954 hurricane

Flowering and Shade Grees

Familiar trees like elms, maples, oaks, lindens, willows and beeches are like old friends. We almost take them for granted. When they suffer severe damage from storm or pest we seem to suffer with them. No home, no community, would be attractive without trees. For our own pleasure and that of succeeding generations we should plant new trees each year.

Particularly attractive, and of rapidly increasing use, is that large group of trees especially valued for their beautiful flowers. These include dogwoods, hawthorns, magnolias, golden-chain, flowering crabapples and cherries, and several others. All make specimens of great beauty, and add value and enjoyment to all home grounds. They are particularly

well suited for use in connection with the single-floor house and for small properties where space is at a premium.

For most kinds both spring and fall are favorable

for planting.

In many varieties we have larger sizes than listed in specimen grade. Prices on request.

All trees bare root except where noted.

Maples — Acer				
ACER palmatum atropurpureum, Blood-leaf	Each	Dozen		
Japanese Maple				
$1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 ft. grafted specimens, B. & B	\$8.50			
platanoides, Norway Maple	650	фП2 OO		
6 to 8 ft	6.50	\$72.00		
8 to 10 ft	8.50 12.00			
10 to 12 ftplatanoides Schwedleri, Schwedler Maple	12.00			
6 to 8 ft	8.00			
	10.00			
8 to 10 ftplatanoides Schwedleri, "Crimson King"	10.00			
New. Rich maroon foliage all season long.				
6 to 8 ft	10.00			
rubrum, Red Maple				
6 to 8 ft	5.00			
8 to 10 ft	7.00			
10 to 12 ft	9.00			
saccharum, Sugar Maple, all heavy grade.	0.00			
8 to 10 ft	8.00			
10 to 12 ft	11.00			
Birches — Betula				
BETULA papyrifera, Canoe Birch				
6 to 8 ft	7.50			
8 to 10 ft	10.00			
pendula laciniata, Cut-leaf Birch	0 #0			
6 to 8 ft	8.50			
8 to 10 ft	11.00			
CHIONANTHUS virginica, White Fringe				
3 to 4 ft	2.00			
Dogwoods — Cornus				
CORNUS florida, White Flowering Dogwood				
3 to 4 ft., B. & B	6.50			
4 to 5 ft., B. & B	9.00			
5 to 6 ft., B. & B	13.00			
florida rubra, Pink Flowering Dogwood				
2 to 3 ft., B. & B	6.00			
3 to 4 ft., B. & B	9.00			
4 to 5 ft., B. & B	15.00			
Kousa, Japanese Dogwood	F 00			
3 to 4 ft., B. & B	5.00			
4 to 5 ft., B. & B	7.00			
5 to 6 ft., B. & B	9.50			
For Bush Dogwoods please see page 38.				

Hawthorns — Crataegus

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CRATAEGUS crus-galli, Cockspur Thorn 4 to 5 ft., B. & B. 5 to 6 ft., B. & B. 6 to 8 ft., B. & B.	Each \$6.00 8.50 12.00	Dozen \$67.20 96.00
oxyacantha, English Hawthorn 3 to 4 ft., B. & B	5.00	
oxyacantha pauli, Paul's Scarlet Hawthorn 5 to 6 ft., B. & B	7.50	
Beeches — Fagus		
FAGUS grandifolia, American Beech 3 to 4 ft., B. & B. 4 to 5 ft., B. & B. 5 to 6 ft., B. & B. sylvatica, European Beech 6 to 8 ft., B. & B. 8 to 10 ft., B. & B.	6.00 7.50 9.00 12.00 16.00	
GLEDITSIA triacanthos, inermis, Thornless		
Honeylocust 8 to 10 ft	10.00 12.00	
LABURNUM watereri (vossi), Goldenchain 6 to 8 ft., B. & B	10.00	
MAGNOLIA soulangeana, Saucer Magnolia 2 to 3 ft., B. & B	7.50 9.00 7.50	
Flowering Crab Apples — Ma	alus	
MALUS arnoldiana, Arnold Crab 5 to 6 ft 6 to 8 ft	7.50 10.00	
hopa, Hopa Crab 6 to 8 ft., heavy 8 to 10 ft	10.00 15.00	
hupehensis, Tea Crab 5 to 6 ft	7.50	
→niedzwetskyana, Redvein Crab 6 to 8 ft	9.00	
purpurea eleyi, Eley Crab 6 to 8 ft	9.00	
Scheideckeri, Scheidecker Crab 5 to 6 ft 6 to 8 ft	7.50 10.00	
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OXYDENDRUM arboreum, Sourwood White flowers in summer.	Each	Dozen
3 to 4 ft., B. & B	\$5.50	
PLATANUS orientalis, Oriental Planetree 10 to 12 ft	15.00	
Plums and Cherries — Prun	us	
PRUNUS pissardi, Purple Leaf Plum 4 to 5 ft	5.00	
serrulata Kwanzan, Flowering Cherry	J.00	
5 to 6 ft	7.50	
6 to 8 ftSingle Weeping Cherry	12.00	
5 to 6 ft	10.00	
Oaks — Quercus		
QUERCUS palustris, Pin Oak	7.50	
6 to 8 ft	7.50	
Willows — Salix		
SALIX discolor, French Pussy Willow 3 to 4 ft	1.00	\$10.80
4 to 5 ft	1.50	
niobe, Goldenbark Weeping Willow 6 to 8 ft	5.00	
8 to 10 ft	7.00	
pentandra, Laurel Willow 3 to 4 ft	1.25	13.80
4 to 5 ft	1.50	16.20
SORBUS aucuparia, European Mountain Ash		
8 to 10 ft	10.00	
Lindens — Tilia		
TILIA cordata, Little Leaf European Linden 6 to 8 ft	7.00	
0 to 6 ft	7.00	
Elms — Ulmus		
ULMUS americana, American Elm 8 to 10 ft	7.50	
10 to 12 ft	10.00	
pumila, Chinese or Siberian Elm		
6 to 8 ft	5.00 7.50	
8 to 10 ft	10.00	

Fruit Grees and Bush Fruits

Add to the flower beauty of all kinds of fruit trees the enjoyment and use of the multitude of fine fruits produced and we have a combination with universal appeal. The necessary care is well rewarded in pride of production.

Tree fruits and bush fruits alike are very low in cost but rich in returns for every home owner.

APPLES. Standard Trees	Each	Dozen
APPLES. Standard Trees	Each	Dozen
2-year, 5 to 6 ft	\$2.00	\$22.20
Baldwin. Large; winter.		
Cortland. Improved McIntosh. Comes a n	nonth la	ater.
Early McIntosh. September.		
Golden Russet. Winter.		
Gravenstein. Large; October.		
Greening. Good, winter.		
Macoun. McIntosh type, solid red; winter.		
→ McIntosh. One of the best; November.		
Northern Spy. Yellow and red; winter.		
Red Astrachan. Red; August.		
Red Delicious. Large, red; winter.		
Wealthy. Deep red; fall.		
Yellow Transparent. August.		
Larger sizes. Prices on request.		

DWARF APPLES. Excellent where space is	
limited	3.75
Baldwin, Cortland, McIntosh,	
Red Delicious,	
R. I. Greening, Yellow Transparent.	

DI ACUDED	DIEC	Each	Dozen	100
BLACKBER → Eldorado.		\$.30	\$3.00	\$20.00

BLUEBERRIES, Cultivated Hybrids

We recommend especially these four newer varieties. All produce large sweet berries, and all are of the same type of growth.

- Burlington. Medium blue, latest to ripen.
- Dixie. Fine mid-season variety.
- Pemberton. Deep blue, late mid-season.
- Weymouth. Early to mid-season, large fruit.
 18 to 24 in. plants, in pots, \$2.25 each, \$24.00 per dozen.

CHERRIES 2 to 3 yr	Each \$2.50	
CRAB APPLES Transcendent. Early red. 2-year, 5 to 6 ft	1.75	
Hyslop. Crimson. 2-year, 5 to 6 ft	1.75	
CURRANTS Red Lake. Best standard variety. \$.60	Dozen \$6.00	100 \$40.00
GOOSEBERRIES Champion. Good 2-year plants65	7.20	
Caco. Early. The best red grape. 1.00 Concord. Black; late. 1.00 Fredonia. Blue-black; early. 1.00 Niagara. White. 1.00	10.80	
PEACHES No. 1 grade trees Belle of Georgia. Large, white flesh, freestone, early. Elberta. Large yellow, free-stone, late. Golden Jubilee. Yellow, free-stone, hardy, Hale Haven. Fine, new, prolific; yellow, early.	Each \$1.50	
PEARS. Standard Trees 3-year, 5 to 6 ft Bartlett. Late summer. Beurre Bosc. Winter. Clapp's Favorite. Summer. Seckel. Winter.	2.50	
PEARS. Dwarf: Bartlett and Clapp's Favorite	3.50	
PLUMS 3-yr Abundance. Large yellow. Early August. Italian Prune. Fine for preserving. Lombard. Dark red. August.	2.50	
RASPBERRIES Strong plants Cuthbert. Large red fruit. Indian Summer. Everboaring, red. Taylor. New, prolific, red.	Dozen \$3.00	100 \$20.00

How and When to Plant

Practical Suggestions for Everyone Based on Experience Tested by Time

HOW TO PREPARE THE SOIL

It is important to have the ground adequately prepared before any planting is done. Average existing topsoil throughout most of the Cape is thin and sandy, with unfertile sand and gravel subsoil directly beneath.

- Loam For success in new plantings, remove the unproductive subsoils and deepen the topsoil by adding new fertile loam to the following recommended depths:
 - For flower beds, vegetable gardens, and most ground cover plants, 10 to 12 inches minimum; 15 to 18 inches is that much better.
 - For flowering shrubs, floribunda roses, hedges, bush fruits and most evergreens, 16 to 18 inches.
 - For climbing vines, 24 inches deep and as wide as space permits.
 - For trees, both evergreen and deciduous, holes at least 6 inches deeper and 2 feet wider than the full spread of the tree roots.
 - For hybrid tea roses, special preparation $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet deep is advisable to promote deep rooting and strongest top growth, both valuable insurance against winter killing.
 - For good lawns, 4 inches minimum if subsoil is clayey, 8 inches on light sandy subsoil. Peat will help hold moisture and food.

Manure, Peat and Fertilizers

Mix with the fertile loam well-rotted cow manure, adding about 2 inches for every foot in depth. Prepared manure adds food as well as humus and organic content. Good native peat also added in the same proportion as manure will further aid in retaining moisture in lighter soils. In many cases the baled peat moss is more conveniently handled.

If soils are decidedly acid, lime should be added at the rate of

5 to 7 pounds per 100 square feet.

In planting vegetables and annual flowers, work in appropriate chemical fertilizers (we like the Agrico brands), 4 pounds per 100 square feet. For shrubs, roses, evergreens and trees, such quick-acting chemicals are best used for top feeding after planting.

HOW TO PLANT

Digging. In the prepared ground, for each plant dig a hole as deep as the roots, and wide enough to spread out the roots to their full extent. Work loose soil carefully among roots to

leave no air spaces. Fill half way and water thoroughly. After water has settled, fill in the rest of the hole, firm the soil by treading in, leaving a shallow saucer-shape depression around each plant, and water again.

Watering. Water the soil (not the tops of the plants) thoroughly once or twice a week through the first growing season. Only a heavy rain can take the place of a thorough watering.

Staking. Trees 10 feet or more in height should be securely staked for the first year.

Mulching. Surface mulching with peat or cow manure is helpful after planting, especially during the winter. Put mulching around the plants, not on top of them, except in the case of those perennials which die down to below the surface in winter.

Spacing. Because plants vary so greatly in size and shape as they grow, distances apart when planting should be planned accordingly. Except in direct sea-wind exposures and for dense hedge effects, where closer planting is needed, do not overcrowd. Better allow room enough for each type of plant to attain its natural mature beauty.

WHEN TO PLANT. Two main seasons, Spring and Fall, are equally good for planting almost all kinds of hardy plant materials. Spring planting season extends here from about March 20 to late June, the earlier the better. Fall planting begins about September 15 and runs to mid-December. Our long experience suggests the following:

Hardy Perennial Flowers. Spring is good for all kinds. Fall is equally good for all except those which are fall-flowering, such as chrysanthemums and asters.

Flowering Shrubs and Trees, Shade Trees and Fruits. Spring and Fall equally good for most kinds. Cherries, peaches, dogwoods, hawthorns, beeches, birches are supposed to prefer spring.

Large Trees. Are also very successfully moved in midwinter.

Evergreens. Spring and early Fall are equally good.

Roses. For hybrid teas and most floribunda types and climbers we strongly favor Spring planting in this area. Two reasons: First, winter weather frequently varies between cold and warm which is unfavorable to fall planted roses; second, better selections of top-grade new plants are available in Spring. Dormant roses for planting up to May 1; potted plants for later Spring planting are best.

Bulbs. Such as tulips, daffodils, narcissus, hyacinth, crocus are offered only in Fall.

Annuals, Bedding Plants and Vegetable Plants. Are ready May 15.

Lawn Seeding. Best of all is from September 1 to October 15, next best April 1 to May 1.

Information for Customers

Guarantee

All our stock is guaranteed true to name, in good condition, carefully dug, and properly packed for safe delivery.

Where in our judgment our plants are properly planted and receive adequate watering and after-care, we will replace any

plants that fail to survive the first growing season.

We particularly point out the great importance of **thorough** and **frequent watering**, not only at time of planting, but especially all through the summer months of the first season after planting. The larger the plant, the more important this watering is, and the greater the quantity needed.

Prices

1 to 5 plants of the same kind at the each price; 6 or more at the dozen rate, and 25 or more at the hundred rate where quoted.

Slight additional charges may be made for plants dug in

midsummer, because of extra handling care required.

All prices quoted are F.O.B. our nurseries in Falmouth, and apply to our usual first-grade stock. Where a plant of exceptional specimen quality is selected, a special price will be properly charged.

Because of conditions beyond our control, prices are subject to change without notice. This list cancels all previous lists.

Deliveries and Shipping

Express, freight and parcel post charges are paid by the purchaser. Moderate crating and packing charges may be made.

Truck deliveries without charge are scheduled Fridays during April, May and June, covering all Cape Cod as far as Orleans. For other truck deliveries, fair charges are made, depending on distance and load.

Business Hours

The Lakeview Avenue Nurseries are open week-days from 8.00 A.M. to 4.30 P.M., but closed on Sundays and national

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Visitors are always welcome.

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